



Alexandria Nicole Cellars

2013 "Quarry Butte" Red Blend

Destiny Ridge Vineyard, our Estate Vineyard, was historically called Quarry Butte and was slated to become a rock quarry before we planted this unique vineyard site. Today, we are honored for the natural beauty and terroir afforded to us by our amazing Estate Vineyard and we are pleased to share with you, Quarry Butte, an elegantly expressive six varietal blend that packs a punch for the value while capturing that unique terroir, of Destiny Ridge Vineyard. Dark and deep with impressive intensity in color, the wonderful 2013 vintage continues to shine in this bottling which showcases a lovely bouquet filled with alluring aromas of raspberry, mocha, nutmeg and clove. Fleshy yet firm in texture the palate is full in body with generous amounts of candied dark fruit, wild-vine blackberry, vanilla bean, and cedar spice. The finish is long and expressive with the rich and velvety tannins balancing beautifully amongst the hints of boysenberry, Rainer cherry, and crushed herb undertones. Made to drink now, but built with a backbone to last another 5 years with proper cellaring.

ABOUT ALEXANDRIA NICOLE CELLARS

Founders Jarrod and Ali Boyle are dedicated to producing small lots of hand-crafted wine from our own Destiny Ridge Estate Vineyard. Through attentive viticulture management, balanced crop levels, gentle hand-harvesting and processing of grapes, and passionate winemaking, we produce consistent quality in every bottle. Located in the Horse Heaven Hills, our 327-acre estate vineyard is located high on the bluffs overlooking the majestic Columbia River. It is here, high on the dominate ridge, that our grapes thrive in these unique soils. It is here that our winemaker Jarrod nurtures the fruit quality from bud to bottle. Our belief is that quality starts in the vineyard.

JUST THE STATS

Appellation: Horse Heaven Hills
Vineyard: 100% Destiny Ridge Vineyard
Aging: Aged 20 months in 55% new French oak and 45% 2-year-old French oak barrels
Varietal: 56% Cabernet Sauvignon, 22% Merlot, 10% Cabernet Franc, 6% Malbec, 4% Syrah, 2% Petit Verdot
Alcohol: 14.4%
Production: 1497 cases

\$26 / 750ml. bottle (Retail)
Jarrod L. Boyle - Winemaker

